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Applicant submits the reference listed on the attached form PTO 1449, a copy of which is enclosed. A copy of a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart application is also enclosed. The communication lists other references which are already of record in this application.

Under 35 USC 120, this application relies on the earlier filing date of Application Serial No. 09/134,493, filed on August 14, 1998. All of the listed references were submitted to and/or cited by the Office in the prior application and, therefore, are not provided in this application.

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